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This Company is booked direct from Orpheum Circuit.

Automobile Association Headquarters At The Cosmopolitan Hotel, Blairmore.

The executive of the Crows' Nest Pass Automobile Association have definitely arranged for headquarters to be located at the Cosmopolitan hotel, where a general meeting will be held tonight.

A large attractive sign will be placed in front of the hotel directing tourists to the new rooms, which will be equipped with maps, literature, etc., for their benefit and guidance.

The programme as at present mapped out for Monday next, in connection with the opening

of the new road over the Great Divide is as follows:

Party will leave Blairmore by autos about 1.30 p.m. for Crows' Nest Lake, where the official ceremonies will take place.

Luncheon and conversation at the Summit Hotel, Crows' Nest, at 3 p.m., after which return will be made to Blairmore, where a grand banquet will be served at the Cosmopolitan hotel at 7 o'clock. Tickets for banquet will be on sale by the committee at \$1.50 each.

Anglican Church

Harvest Thanksgiving Service on Sunday, October 7, at 7.30 p.m.
Sunday school as usual at 2.30 p.m.

Frank Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sherring returned from Winnipeg on Sunday morning, after a two weeks' vacation.

Sergt.-Major Meade, who is visiting here, left with a party of friends on Wednesday evening for the Pincher Creek district on a hunting trip.

Considerable damage was done by the high wind of Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning. The tower of the fire hall was blown over and poles and transformers of the Company light power line were blown to the ground, and as a consequence the mine was idle on Wednesday.

Remember the Bank Sunday school gave a concert, in the hall on Monday night, the result of some six weeks' training by Miss Hind. The church was crowded and a very good entertainment was provided. The proceeds, amounting to \$16.75, go towards the purchase of wreaths to be attached to the medals which are awarded children for regular attendance throughout the year. The collection realized the amount required, as above. We understand that similar concerts will be put on from time to time. The programme for Monday night was as follows:

Piano Duet, by Miss Hind and Miss Winnie Dicken.
A Drill, by little girls.
Piano Solo, by Esther Renasco.
Recitation, by Rene Dawson: Hoop Drill, by elder girls.
Cantata, entitled "Born in the East," and representative of China and Japan, by the following seven boys and girls: Robert Prentice, chairman; Marjorie Niven, Winnie Dicken, Mary Kroli, Jack Jolley, Robert Dicken and Willie Jolley.
Chorus, by girls, entitled "Why can't a girl be a soldier?"
Tableau, by Miss Hind, with limelight.

Pte. Alex. Sims, of Okotoks, son of J. Sims, of Blairmore, is reported seriously ill, following wounds received while in action.

W. J. Hanna and other food controllers might get valuable lessons on cheap and healthy methods of existing by living with the Doukhobors for a month. The Douks always have meatless days, except when they take a meal in some unbeliever's house.

The following shipment was made on Wednesday by the Blairmore branch of the Red Cross to Calgary: 26 Turkish towels, 25 pillow cases, 28 wash cloths, 362 "F" bandages, 4 pairs pyjamas, 4 aprons, 6 shaped slings, 7 many-tailed bandages, 7 pairs bed socks, 6 binders, 31 triangular bandages, 8 handkerchiefs, 1 sling, 36 kit bags.

Central Union Church

Service on Sunday, morning at 11.0, evening at 7.30.
Sunday School meets at 2.30.
JAMES FULTON, Pastor.

Local and General

Buttermilk is two cents a glass in Toronto. Let us build a pipe line.

McGill university has sent nearly 2,500 men overseas since the war began.

James Hunter arrived in town yesterday on a visit to his son, J. F. Hunter.

J. F. Hunter, of the local customs office, is on a business visit to Lethbridge today.

The strike of the miners at Greenhill, which resulted from trouble over pillar work, has been settled.

A special meeting of the Blairmore council will be held tonight to further consider the light question.

Remember the Hawaiian entertainers who will appear at the opera house on Tuesday night next.

A general meeting of the Crows' Nest Pass Automobile Association will be held at the Cosmopolitan hotel tonight at 7.30.

An enjoyable whist drive held at the Frank Military Hospital on Wednesday evening was attended by a large number of young ladies from Blairmore.

The board of medical examiners appointed under the military service act, leave Calgary today for Southern Alberta, and may be expected in The Pass some time next week.

The Greenwood Ledge says: "In a letter received from Somewhere in The Crows' Nest Pass, we learn that for several minutes the coal miners have not been able to find an excuse for going on strike."

Howard Stutchbery, provincial secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Bureau, has promised to equip the local cadets so that they could perform the duties of a firing squad at future military funerals.

A Canadian boy aviator, of 23, who has to his credit some 46 German planes for a total of 110 flights made, was the guest of a big banquet in New York this week, while on his way to his home in Ontario.

In connection with the I.O.O.F. ball to be held in the opera house on Friday night next, the committee has decided to admit no one to the gallery, owing to the annoyance usually caused from the crowd that congregates there. For the benefit of non-dancers and spectators, ample accommodation will be provided on the stage, where card tables, etc., will be placed for the use of patrons and friends. Dancing will commence sharp at 9 o'clock to be furnished by the newly organized Almond orchestra from Michel. Refreshments will be served by Rebekah and friends.

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Air raids are becoming an almost daily occurrence over London.

Red Cross Special Appeal "Our Day," October 18th, 1917

Government House,
Edmonton, Alberta,
October 4th, 1917.

A MESSAGE FROM His Honour the
Lieut.-Governor, Vice-President of the Canadian Red Cross Society:

People of Alberta, once again the British Red Cross Society have appealed to us for help.
Not alone are the needs of our sick, wounded, and imprisoned sailors and soldiers to be attended to, but also those of our less fortunate Allies, Belgium, and Serbia. These numerous calls for assistance have seriously depleted the funds of the Parent Society.
The failure to obtain a liberal response

to the Red Cross appeal will necessitate the restriction and curtailment of the Society's operations at the time when the needs of suffering humanity are much greater than at any previous period of the war.

Can we, for very humanity's sake, have the Red Cross work hampered for the lack of funds?
Anxiously Great Britain is awaiting the answer to this call; waiting for October 18th, when in every corner of the Empire her sons will send their ringing answer back across the seas. What will the answer be of Canada—Canada who has already shown her interpretation of the glory of British citizenship? What will be the answer of Alberta? What, indeed, will be the answer of your community?

People of Alberta, do your best for "OUR DAY."
R. G. BRETT,
Lieut.-Governor.

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Blairmore, Alta., Fri., Oct. 5, 1917

British Red Cross Day, October 18th

October 18th is being set aside as a day
of special appeal on behalf of the British
Red Cross Society. On that day, through-
out the great Commonwealth of Nations
which compose the British Empire, our
people will be united in a combined effort
to raise funds to help the sick and
wounded who are being cared for by our
parent Red Cross Society.

In Canada the campaign for funds is
being conducted by the Canadian Red
Cross. In view of the importance of the
appeal the Lieutenant-governors of our
various Provinces have been requested by
both the British and Canadian authori-
ties to do all in their power to officially
endorse this campaign, and to assist our
Society and our people generally in real-
izing the largest possible return from the
efforts made. It should be borne in
mind that though the Canadian Red Cross
is responsible for the care of Canadian
wounded, yet our Society is subsidiary to
the British Red Cross, on which falls the
great burden of ameliorating conditions
for wounded soldiers and sailors in every
theatre of the war.

It is estimated that \$10,000 a day is re-
quired to meet present demands made
upon the Society. Expenses are increas-
ing continually. The need is great, so
great that it is our imperative duty to
render every possible assistance.

sheltered houses, our garnered harvests
speak eloquently of the protection afford-
ed to our Country by those soldiers and
sailors, who on the high seas and on
great battlefields, are dying daily that we
might live. Help to lighten their burden!
Help to manage their sufferings!
May the measure of our giving bear glow-
ing testimony to our appreciation of their
valour, their achievements, their great
and heroic sacrifice!

IMPORTANT

ORGANIZE YOUR DISTRICT IM-
MEDIATELY so as to ensure the best
possible return on October 18th. "Ur-
duy." Bring this Empire-wide appeal
home to every individual in your com-
munity. In this connection circulars are
being sent to the Mayor of your town, to
the local Clergy, to school teachers and
to leaders of Patriotic Societies. It is
suggested that you should endeavor to
unite all interests in a combined effort
for this great cause.

MONEY FOR BRITISH RED CROSS
should be raised separately, and no grants
to be made from the funds of the
Canadian Red Cross.

RETURNS: Local Branches and So-
cieties other than branches working
directly under the Provincial office, kindly
return money direct to the Provincial
Office.

Red Cross Auxiliaries should remit
money through the Local Branches for
which they are working.

Unorganized Districts remit money di-
rect to the Provincial Office.
Signed on behalf of the
CANADIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY
Alberta Provincial Branch.

M. Pinkham,
Honorary Secretary-Treasurer.

A contract has been let to clean
out the old Litcham oil well, forty
miles southwest of Pincher Creek,
which was the first Alberta oil
well, but was abandoned several
years ago without being thoroughly
tested.

Army Needs Misunderstood

Popular Misconceptions as to C.E. F. are Being Cleared Up.

Ottawa, Sept. 4.—Serious misun-
derstandings with regard to the Military
Service Act are being cleared up as a re-
sult of the educational campaign now be-
ing conducted by the Military Service
Council. This non-partisan body is now
established here and its activities cov-
er the Dominion from coast to coast.

It has been found out that the major-
ity of people had an idea that men select-
ed for service under the Military Service
Act would be paid at the rate of a few
cents a day, this being part of the popu-
lar conception of "conscription." As a
matter of fact, of course, selected men
will receive exactly the same pay as those
who have volunteered, with all the inci-
dental benefits from the various funds.

Again, there was an idea widespread
that all the men who have gone overseas
are fighting troops, ready to enter the
trenches at a moment's notice. This
idea was at the root of much honest dis-
approval of the Military Service Act,
which was held to be unnecessary. As a
matter of fact, again, there are a num-
ber of one and different and essential
branches of the service behind the lines
for which men are constantly needed.

Besides, only men in the highest physical
condition are permitted to go to the front
line trenches. To understand this actual
situation is to appreciate that the exist-
ence of the considerable number of men
in reserve may not mean—and in this
case, does not mean—the existence of
adequate reinforcements at any ready to
join particular units which are urgently
needed to swell the military situation.

Apparatus for automatically
spraying oil from the bow of a ves-
sel upon a rough sea has been in-
vented in England.

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Private Greeting Cards this
Christmas, come in and look
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British Columbia moving picture
men are protesting against the
government war tax.

Disabled soldiers are returning
to Canada at the rate of from 750
to 1,000 weekly. There are al-
ready 10,000 wounded soldiers in
Canada who have returned from
the front.

R. T. Lowery, of the Greenwood
Lodge, says: "The writer has been
so long in the newspaper business
that he now has more dead people
owing him money than live ones." Perhaps he is still catering to the
majority!

The B.C. rule of the road was
responsible for an accident near
Homer recently when a B.C. car
and an Alberta car collided. The
latter crashed into the B.C. car and
considerable damage resulted. No
one was hurt.

J. an Fourneau, of Frank, British
Columbia, writes: "I have been
advertising for some time through The En-
terprise, but have not yet received any
advertisements. I have advertised the sale of his
dry equipment, including cattle,
etc., and inform us that inside of
a week he had realized cash for
everything he had in stock."



Military Service Act, 1917

Explanatory Announcement by the Minister of Justice

THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT has received the assent of the
Governor-General and is now part of the law of the land. It will be
enforced accordingly, and the patriotism and good sense of the
people can be relied upon to support it. Resistance to its enforcement,
however by word or act must and will be repressed, as resistance to any
other law in force must be.

Reinforcements under the Military Service Act immediately required

It is the intention of the Government immediately to exercise the
power which the Act confers and to call out men for military service in
order to provide reinforcements for the Canadian forces. This is neces-
sary since the military authorities by means from reserves available or
in sight for reinforcement will shortly be exhausted unless this step be
taken.

First call limited to men between 20 and 34 who were unmarried or widowers without children on July 6, 1917

The present call will be limited to men not in the schedule of excep-
tions who were unmarried or widowers without children on 6th July, 1917,
are at least twenty years of age, and were born on or since January 1st,
1883. Of this class all those will be entitled to conditional exemption
whose services in their present occupations, agricultural, industrial or
other, are essential in the national interest, and whose business or domes-
tic responsibilities are such that serious hardship would ensue if their
services be required. Conscientious scruples based upon a prohibition
of conscription by the articles of faith of the religious denomination to
which men belong will also be respected. The men first required to
serve will consequently be those who can be called upon with the least
disturbance of the economic and social life of the country.

Civil Tribunals to deal with exemptions

Questions of exemption will be determined, not by the military
authorities or by the Government, but by civil tribunals composed of
representative men who are familiar with local conditions in the com-
munities in which they serve, who will generally have personal knowledge
of the economic and family reasons which those whose cases come before
them have had for not volunteering their services and who will be able
sympathetically to estimate the weight and importance of such reasons.
Provincial Appeal Tribunals constituted from the existing judiciary of the
respective provinces will be provided to correct mistakes made by
Local Tribunals, and a Central Appeal Tribunal for the whole of Canada,
selected from among the present Judges of the Supreme Court of Canada,
will be constituted in order that identical principles may be applied
throughout the country. In this way every man may rest assured of the
fair and full consideration of his circumstances and the national require-
ments both civil and military.

Proclamation will announce the day

A proclamation will issue calling out the bachelors and widowers
referred to and fixing a day on or before which every man must report for
service to the military authorities unless he has before that day made an
application for exemption.

How to apply for exemption

Applications for exemption may be made by written notice on forms
which will be available at every post office, and will be transmitted free
of postage. They will not, however, be required to be made in this way,
but may be presented by the applicants in person to the exemption tri-
bunals. The cases of those who have given written notice in advance
will take precedence, and appearance in person will therefore be likely to
involve considerably more inconvenience and delay to the men con-
cerned, so that it is recommended that advantage be generally taken of
the facilities for written application.

Ottawa, September 11, 1917.

Exemption Tribunals in all parts of Canada

The local exemption tribunals will be constituted with the least delay
possible, consistent with the selection of representative individuals to
compose them, and the instructions of the members in their duties. There
will be more than one thousand of such tribunals throughout Canada, each
consisting of two members, one of whom will be nominated by a Joint
Committee of Parliament, and the other by one of the Judges of the
existing Courts. Every effort will be made by the wide distribution of
tribunals, and by provision where necessary for their sitting in more than
one place, to minimise the inconvenience to which men will be put in
obtaining the disposition of their cases.

A Registrar will be appointed in each Province, who will be named
in the proclamation and to whom enquiries may be addressed. Each
Provincial Registrar will transmit to the appropriate tribunal the appli-
cations for exemption which have been submitted in advance of the sit-
tings, and men who have sent these in will not be required to attend the
tribunals until notified to do so. Other applicants should attend person-
ally on the tribunal without notice.

How to report for service

Men who do not desire to claim exemption will report to the military
authorities for service either by mail or in person at any time after the
issue of the proclamation. Forms of report by mail will be found in all
post offices, and, like applications for exemption, will be transmitted free
of postage.

Early report advantageous

No man who reports for service will, although he may be medically
examined and passed as fit, be required to go into camp or join a battalion
until after a day fixed by the proclamation sufficiently late to permit of
the disposition by the local tribunals of most, if not all, of the appli-
cations for exemption which may come before them. Thus no advantage
will be gained by delay or disadvantage incurred by prompt report for
service on the part of those who do not intend to apply for exemption.

Facilities for immediate medical examination

Immediately upon the issue of the proclamation, medical boards will
at every mobilization centre for the examination of men who report
for service or who, subject to their right within the time limited to apply
for exemption, desire to have their physical fitness determined in order to
allow any doubt as to their physical condition, or to know definitely and
in advance whether there is a possibility of their services being required.
Certificates of physical unfitness issued by these Medical Boards will be
accepted without further investigation by exemption tribunals when they
sit. Men found physically fit who have not reported for service
may nevertheless apply for exemption on any of the prescribed grounds,
including even their physical condition if dissatisfied with the Medical
Board's conclusion.

Notice to join the colors

As reinforcements are required, notice to report to the nearest mobil-
ization centre will be given from time to time to the men found liable and
passed as fit for service. Disobedience of such notice will render the
offender liable to punishment, but punishment for failure to report for
military service, or to report subsequently for duty when called upon,
will be imposed ordinarily by the civil magistrates; offenders, however,
will remain liable for the performance of their military duties notwithstanding
any civil punishment which may be imposed and will be liable to
military punishment in cases in which civil proceedings are not taken.

Watch for the Proclamation

Notice of the day appointed for the making of a claim for exemption
or for report for military service will be published as widely as possible,
but, as no personal notice can be given until the individuals called out
have so reported themselves or claimed exemption, men possibly con-
cerned are warned to inform themselves with regard to the day fixed,
conscientiously neglect may involve the loss by them of important privileges and
rights.

CHAS. J. DOHERTY,

Minister of Justice.

Bellevue Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolstenholme motored to Calgary this week.

Don't forget the C.O.F. ball at Blairmore on Friday night next.

The night school has started and there is a good crowd in attendance.

Mrs. A. Bursley left this week for Calgary, where she will spend the winter.

The Bellevue pool hall is now completed and Cantalini has moved in.

Arthur Charlesworth left on Tuesday night for Calgary, where he intends taking up a course.

E. J. Pezall, contractor, of Blairmore, is making rapid progress with the new residence for W. P. Williams.

The members of Bellevue local union met on Sunday last and presented to the late secretary, Robert Levitt, a gold watch in recognition of his good services. The outside men also presented him with a beautiful travelling bag. Mr. Levitt, in his remarks, assured them that he always would be ready to do anything he could to help them. He left for Calgary on Sunday night, where he enters upon his new duties as international board member.

Business Men Are Interested

Employers Have Been Quick to See Practical Advantages of Military Service Act.

Ottawa, Oct. 3.—Canadian business men express themselves as highly pleased with the provision by the Military Service Act of Medical Boards for the early medical examination of men liable to be drafted under the Military Service Act. This introduction of system and order into the method of raising men for military service has commended itself to the business community throughout the country, according to all reports received here.

Hearty promises of co-operation in having an early report made, by all men in the various classes are also coming to hand, and this co-operation promises to simplify the working of the Act. The vast majority of men in the various classes can be reached through the business houses where they are employed, so far as the cities are concerned at least. A new force getting behind the Act is the business instinct of employers who, under the volunteering system, have had some unsatisfactory experiences through the haphazard dropping of their employees. All the Military Service Act requires is to get the country's military spirit down to a business basis as well as to make it more democratic and satisfactory in every particular.

Trooper Charles Mitchell, of Coleman, has been killed in action.

Pte. W. L. H. Bossange, of Coleman, has been killed in action.

Word has been received that J. H. Farmer has been accidentally wounded in action.

Part of the Fernie water main was blown up by dynamite yesterday morning, following which a house was set fire to and an alarm was rung in directing the fire department to the opposite end of the city.

The first class of recruits under the Military Service Act will be called up on Saturday, October 13. Class 1 comprises those who have attained the age of 23 years, and were born not earlier than 1883, and are unmarried or widower but have no children.

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Local and General

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A. S. Vroom, of Beaver Mines, has been wounded in action.

Pool Controller Hanna may regulate the sale of ice cream.

COLEMAN TOWN BAND—Music for Dancing. Any number of players supplied. Apply to G. Beddington, secretary.

Const. Hall, at one time town policeman at Coleman, but now of Regina, is on a visit to old friends in The Pass this week.

Born—At Memorial hospital, Pincher Creek, on Sunday, September 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fulton, of Cowley, a daughter.

Rev. Dr. Henderson, supernatural minister, and ex-president of the Canadian Methodist conference, died at his home in Guelph, Ontario, recently.

More than 150 indentments have been found by the federal grand jury in Chicago investigating I.W.O. activities on evidence secured in the recent raid.

Eighty per cent. of the men examined in the city of Quebec have been found fit for military service, while sixty per cent. of those examined at Edmonton have been rejected.

The North Alberta branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, has decided to take no action for next year's fund, claiming that the Dominion government should take over the responsibility.

Britain is now believed, to be almost invulnerable against Hun air raids. In the raid of September 29th, the Hun machines could not pass the air defences, and at least two machines were brought down.

Rev. W. M. Chalmers, B.A., who recently resigned the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Cowley, has been inducted into the pastoral charge of the Presbyterian church at Minto, Margaret and Brownlee, Manitoba.

Capt. Bernier, the Canadian explorer, recently returned from Baffin's Land, reports having explored 500,000 square miles of territory rich in animals, minerals and fish and having discovered a "middle passage" free from ice.

The death occurred at Cowley on September the 24th of Mrs. Annie McEwen, at the age of 32 years. Deceased had been ailing for some time, but passed away suddenly. She leaves, besides a bereaved husband, a little girl of nine years.

Fifteen thousand enumerators will have to be appointed to check up the voting lists and add the names of female relatives of soldiers entitled to the franchise under the war-time elections act, and to strike off the roll the names of disfranchised aliens, preparatory to the proposed federal election this fall.

The third dealership office of the Ford Motor company has been opened up in the city and has as its manager Mr. Mark Drumm. This will be known as the Mark Drumm Auto Sales company, which aims to give the best of service. The garage will be situated on the corner of Centre Street and Fourth Avenue, Calgary, Alberta.

A divorce law for Manitoba will be enacted at the next session of the legislature. This is because of the difficulty of obtaining a divorce under the existing legislation, unless a heavy outlay of money is incurred. At present the Manitoba resident who seeks relief from conjugal unhappiness incurs an expense of \$500 to \$2,000. Those with limited resources are without recourse. Lawyers say that it causes divorce seekers to go to the United States to establish residence and gain their object through American courts. The law of divorce in British Columbia, they say, is similar to the one in force in England and will be copied by Manitoba.

Cowley Happenings

James Smyth has purchased a new Ford car.

W. G. Tustian's new store is going up rapidly.

B. O. Morrow was a Calgary visitor for the week end.

Harvey Bouthillier has purchased a new Chevrolet-six.

Milton Robinson was a Cowley visitor on Saturday last.

Mrs. Marguerite Kemmis is visiting in Cowley at present.

Mrs. R. Coates has been under the weather for a few days.

Mrs. H. Swift was a Pincher Creek visitor on Saturday last.

G. Elton and Geo. Dwyer have purchased new grain separators.

Mr. and Mrs. Bundy have gone to Nova Scotia for their holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemmis were Pincher Creek visitors on Friday last.

Several carloads of cattle were shipped from here by Mr. Gerry this week.

James Bennett and V. S. Miller purchased new grain separators a few days ago.

After spending several weeks at Edmonton, John Labrie is back to the home ranch.

Mr. Gadsal has gone to Victoria, where we understand he will make his future home.

Several carloads of sheep were shipped from this district the latter part of the week.

W. Welsh has returned from Edmonton, after attending college there for some time.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fulton, in the Pincher Creek Memorial hospital, a daughter.

Quite a number of people have been complaining of skunks visiting their poultry yards lately.

North Fork's polo team will give a dance in the town hall on Friday night in aid of the Red Cross.

Warren Fulton returned with a good bunch of sheep from Simon Downey's noted flock a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Lindsay, of Pincher Creek, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coates on Tuesday last.

The Heath Creek school is now under construction, three carpenters having arrived to do the work.

Mrs. Joe Morgan is taking a stay in B.C. for her health. We are glad to say that Mrs. Morgan is better.

Inspector Hodgson recently visited the Cowley school. Three Doukhobor girls are now attending this school.

Last Sunday was rainy day for the Presbyterian Sunday school. Mrs. McEwen gave an address, which suited the occasion.

Threshing is general here now. Weather conditions do not appear as favorable as during the cutting season, which was only short of ideal.

Principal Hargrove rustled five or six autos on Tuesday to take the junior pupils to Pincher Creek to attend the fair. The youngsters report a sporting time and are very enthusiastic over the trip.

The handsome sum of \$260 was collected for the French Wounded Soldiers Emergency Fund, between September 1st and 17th, by a committee of Cowley citizens under the able superintendence of Mr. Morrow, of the Union Bank.

Several people from here attended the polo game last Sunday at North Fork. A splendid game was reported. The match was played between the members of the club over forty and under forty, and was won by the younger team with a score of 6 to 0, losers having to pay all expenses of the day.

The cake and candy sale held at the home of Mrs. R. Swift by the Red Cross Juniors was very suc-

Alberta Food Control Committee Starts Large Campaign

The Alberta committee of the food controller's department is starting an energetic campaign throughout the province for the organization of local food control committees.

The following letter is being sent broadcast and excellent results are anticipated:

Dear Sir or Madam—The food controller wants you to get together an organization in your district to help in the saving of food and in the stopping of waste.

There is not enough food in the world to go round, and it is the duty of everyone to do whatever can be done to see that the best possible use is made of all that is available. Alberta has never yet failed in any patriotic duty, and we feel sure your people will readily fall in line in this important matter.

A provincial committee was formed the other day, and it was made as representative as it possibly could be, on the short notice that was given.

The food controller, alone, of course is responsible for the various regulations that have been issued; what we are mainly concerned in is the broad general action that may be taken to help him in the onerous duties he has taken up, by spreading education and maintaining the feeling that we must all save food.

You will know best yourself, how to go about the matter in your district. We would just suggest that you get together some public spirited citizens like yourself, men and women, and make plans for getting your local press interested, ask the ministers of the churches to speak on this topic, send a lady and a gentleman to make short addresses in each school, and discover what local talent you have, and use it in giving canning and cooking demonstrations. Your women folks have always done well in all patriotic work, and we feel sure they will do what they can to help you.

If there is anything that you think the members of the provincial committee can do to help you, please ask them, and I feel sure they will do whatever they can.

If you should find that some plan is already on foot in your community for getting action on the above lines, will you kindly do your best to co-operate with what is going forward.

Write the secretary as soon as possible, stating number of food pledges, bulletins on war meals and bulletins on canning you can use.

This circular letter is being sent to the mayors of cities, Reeves of municipalities, presidents of locals of United Farmers of Alberta, United Farm Women's associations, and Alberta women's institutes, secretaries of local improvement districts and heads of other organizations. A copy is also being sent to the heads of the various church organizations in the province, including the Anglican, Roman Catholic, Presbyterian, Baptist, Methodist, Congregational and Lutheran churches, and we hope that the heads of these provincial church organizations will take the matter up with their clergy.

Yours sincerely,
E. A. HOWES,
Secretary Alberta Committee on Food Control.

Born—At "Castleview," on Tuesday, September 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Easterbrook, of Summer view, a daughter.

The fuel controller believes that the demand for coal justifies the high price charged by dealers, and no reduction is recommended.

Allen H. Fraser, Arthur F. Gardner, George A. Richmond, Alfred T. Whitaker and Albert Paul Zain, inmates of the Frank Military Hospital, have passed their examinations for civil service.

C. J. Pegg, former superintendent of the Rocky Mountain Cement Co. here, arrived in town on Sunday from New York and spent several days looking over the plant, presumably with a view to opening it up. The local plant has been idle for over a year.

People turned out in good numbers. The spirit to help seemed to prevail, and the sum of \$13.35 was realized. The Red Cross Juniors desire to thank all those who helped to make this affair a success.

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Live Agent wanted to canvas the district. Liberal Commission.

Canadian Patriotic Fund (South Alberta Branch)

Receipts From South Alberta Constituencies

Constituency	Alotment For 12 Months	August	Sept. 1st, 1916, to August 31st, 1917
Acadia	\$ 7,000	\$ 5.00	12,581.24
Bow Valley	4,000		6,885.75
Calgary	160,000	8,879.88	128,103.37
Cardston	7,000	235.00	3,554.08
Clareholm	6,000	205.00	4,230.00
Cochrane	7,000		7,695.40
Coronation	10,000	194.50	10,495.45
Didsbury and	7,000	1,550.00	11,491.15
Drumheller Dist	5,000	3,425.00	12,675.50
Gleichen	8,000		7,513.38
Hand Hills	10,000	43.60	12,758.85
High River	9,000	2,753.43	12,252.75
Innisfail	6,200	1,288.70	4,958.33
Little Bow	7,000	1,562.50	8,913.25
Lethbridge	30,000	2,500.00	30,000.00
Macleod	5,000	259.00	4,200.75
Medicine Hat	30,000	2,942.05	25,120.50
Nanton	6,000	764.00	6,707.85
Okotoks	7,000	13.00	2,360.00
Olids	7,000	2,268.75	6,968.05
Pincher Creek	5,000		6,500.00
Red Deer	12,000	2,485.00	12,000.00
Redcliff	5,000		5,732.25
Rocky Mountain	20,000	1,932.48	28,246.18
Stettler	12,000		12,079.95
Taber	12,000		16,123.50
Warner	4,000		4,483.85

Provincial Gov't Employees	\$ 33,306.79	\$404,132.73
Staff of University of Alberta	11,450.56	57,072.68
Sundry Contributions	186.22	2,410.94
Interest	51.00	615.39
		1,019.27

Number of Families assisted	2,532
Number of Individuals assisted	7,341
Amount disbursed	\$49,798.15
Administration Expenses Paid by Fund	283.74
Expenses Paid Provincial Government	625.00
T. M. TWEDDIE, President.	P. TURNER BOSE, Secretary.

A Heroic Fact

Man Who Saved the British Army
At Ypres.

A name which will flash and shine in British military history, whose achievements of the general appeared in that of the late General FitzClarence, V.C., who fell while leading his Irish Guards into their advanced trenches in November, 1914. He will be remembered as the man who saved the day at the first battle of Ypres, who turned a defeat into a victory, who stopped the German drive on Calais and held the British coast clear. What he did at the first battle of Ypres the Canadians did at the second battle of Ypres, but perhaps there is no individual name in the second desperate encounter that will emerge like the name of FitzClarence. There were many men as brave and resourceful in the army; it happened that it was he who showed the same qualities of military genius and decision. FitzClarence got his chance, but he would be the last man, probably to claim the credit. This he would give to a battalion of the Worcesters.

The story of this wonderful fact on the last day of October, 1914, which now seems ancient history, is told by a writer of the "Blairmore Magazine." It is compiled from official records, where it and a thousand other deeds of valor are recorded. The facts are safely buried to await the deliveries of historians of a later generation. The British had attempted an offensive with inadequate forces and with inferior artillery, and the Germans, taking advantage of superiority in every respect but fighting spirit and doggedness, had hurled 80,000 fresh troops unexpectedly into West Flanders. The British advance was checked, and the German offensive was being launched. In a few weeks the Germans had been in contact with the "Old Contemptibles" they had learned to respect the British soldier, and consequently they did not begin their attack until they had gathered the way with an artillery fire that was the heaviest that had ever been felt up to that time.

When the German infantry advanced the British fighting doggedly either fell back or died where they stood. The situation became desperate, for the Germans pressing toward the Ypres-Comines road were threatening the communications of the First Corps under Sir Douglas Haig. Once these communications were cut destruction was the only possibility and the enemy would be free to advance. Calais, the British flank seemed about to be turned, there was a clear gap through which the enemy could advance, and Sir John French and Sir Douglas Haig, standing at a distance, watched the walking wounded and stragglers trickling through to the rear. Haig had already ordered a retreat, when suddenly the line of stragglers ended. An orderly brought the startling news that the German advance had been stopped, that the First Division was re-forming, that General FitzClarence, who had been taken, was still in the hands of the enemy.

General FitzClarence of the headquarters staff, commanding the First Anzacs Brigade, had sent in his last reserve to stem the tide of defeat, and then had ridden forward through the smoke to what was happening. There was not another man under his command, and he saw the British line re-forming, and the exposed flank, the gap. But as he rode forward he found a single battalion of Worcesters, belonging to another brigade, even to another division. It was lying in reserve with orders to act as a reserve to the Second Division. The O.C. did not know then that a shell had struck his division headquarters, that the division had been killed or wounded; he did not know the imminence of disaster. It is nothing to the credit of the man that had it not been for General FitzClarence the Worcesters would have been overwhelmed in the advance. FitzClarence with the instinct of a born soldier saw the situation as a whole. He ordered the Worcester commander to deliver a counter-attack at a point where the enemy seemed exposed.

This, at first, he appeared reluctant to do, but when the situation was explained he placed himself like a good soldier unreservedly in the hands of General FitzClarence, and at the last moment, when action would have been rewarded, the gallant Worcesters threw themselves into the breach, saved the South Wales Borderers, who were in desperate plight, and blocked the gap. The rest of the line held firm, and after a fight which had lasted all day, the lines were fixed at 10 p.m. exactly where they had been in the morning. Had he lived it seems certain that Brig-Gen. FitzClarence would have risen high in his profession. He had brilliantly distinguished himself both in the Sudan and in Africa, and as has been told, he saved the army at Ypres. He died as he would have wished, at the head of his Irish Guards, showing them the way into the trenches. A body of German soldiers in ambush turned their machine guns on the advancing troops, and the first to fall was General FitzClarence, and at a time when few in the army knew what a great service he had performed for the army and for the empire.

A local mayor was presiding at the annual dinner of the town rowing club, and he rose to make his speech. "Gentlemen," he said, "it gives me greater pleasure than I can express to preside on this occasion. Though personally I am not an adept at aquatic on the water, such successes as I have achieved bring all ways on terra cotta."

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Coal Fields in Arctic Region

They Indicate That Mild Climate Formerly Prevailed There

While coal resources in remote Arctic localities are very slight value at the present time, owing to the availability of much greater resources over large centres of population, the coal fields of the Arctic may have great potential value for the future should the present scarcity of easily available coal become exhausted. This statement was made by Dr. J. E. MacMillan, director of the American Geographical Society, in discussing the significance of the discoveries made in the north by Mr. Donald B. MacMillan, as reported in MacMillan's report.

"Mr. MacMillan speaks," said Dr. Bowman, "of the large game resources in the several localities he visited, and particularly on Ellesmere Island. While this undoubtedly has a high importance for future explorers, or for preliminary surveys of the resources of the region, such game is a poor reliance in the case of general industrial development. The most important possible resource is the coal, which he mentioned as occurring all through Ellesmere island. But this coal has less interest to industry than it has to geological science, for the matter of the disposition of the coal and the light it throws upon the climate of the past are of great interest to geographers and geologists. These facts are also in line with what has been known of Greenland for many years, that at one time had a mild climate quite different from the rigorous Arctic conditions that obtain there."

"The war has practically stopped all the more extensive explorations of the Arctic, but before the beginning. Shackleton had just recently returned and there is no exploring expedition in the Arctic at the present time. With the return of the Crocker Land expedition there will be no more exploring parties in the north at the present time, that of Stefansson, and it is expected at Ottawa that he will return during the early autumn months. With his return there will be no exploring party in the north at the present time."

"There are several projected expeditions, one of which has been noted in the press a number of times during the past year, that of Captain Roald Amundson, who has planned to go north from Behring Strait, and to remain in the Arctic for at least five years with a staunch, well-equipped ship which he expects to survive and directed for portions of the Arctic not hitherto explored. He hopes to find the route through the drift with the ice, to make known the extent of the large blank between Alaska and the Canadian coast."

which were reached by Stefansson in 1915 and which the MacMillan expedition searched for as the supposed Crocker Land.

A Saner Path

U.S. and Britain Join Hands to Set the World on a New Path

It is not democracy alone that is imperilled by Prussianism; it is civilization itself. What the reconqueror of Alsace-Lorraine is today, any part of the world may be, unless the nations after the war can set some limit to the unbridled power of military power by Germany. America, while preparing to wage war, has not lost sight of all that might look beyond it to the prospect of a happier dispensation in which all countries may find security. That certainly is an inspiration that enlists the full strength of British sentiment. Together the United States and the British empire can go a long way towards realizing it; and the nearest outcome of their present close association ought to be, and will be, not merely the achievement of victory, but the hope of setting the world on a new and saner path.—London Daily Mail.

Maid of Orleans Annexed. More annexations! This time the German victim is Joan of Arc. Yes, the Germans are actually claiming the patron saint of France as a fellow-countryman. They have acquired large quantities of statues and images of the maid in the French towns which they still occupy. In one case, at least, they ordered a manufacturer to make duplicates of his casts. The Frenchman was astounded, and asked the reason of this devotion. "Oh," was the reply, "Joan of Arc is not French, since she was a Lorrain, and Lorraine is German. Certainly she prayed to heaven for the success of our arms, for they are directed against her mortal enemies, the French who delivered her up, and the English who burned her!"—London Chronicle.

Better Farming Trains. Valuable work has been accomplished by the better farming trains operated under the joint auspices of the Saskatchewan Agricultural College, the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture, and the various railway interests. The educational value of these trains, which bring within reach of farmers living away from the larger centres where they could get the necessary information, the same advantages which can be attained by those who are able to attend educational meetings and lectures. Thousands of men, women and children visit those trains every season and receive very important and valuable information in all branches of the farming industry.

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Bertie—Well, how much will you give me?

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First in the Field

Woman Warrior of Russia Set a Fine Example

The women warriors of the Battalion of Death are by no means the first Russian women who have joined the ranks of the combatants. Though at the beginning of the war the Russian military regulations forbade their enlistment, the rule was often honored in the breach. The pioneer of Apollonia Isoltsev, who was accepted as a volunteer in a regiment commanded by her father, and was awarded the Cross of St. George of the third class for discovering a telephone which the enemy had hidden in a loft, and was using for the purpose of a suit brought against her for failure to pay the hire of her sewing machine. Asked what she had to say for herself, she replied: "Nothing, except it be that I am unable to pay, as I was wounded a short time ago fighting against the Austrians." The judge examined her papers, and found them in order; and the prosecutor was so moved by her story that he withdrew his summons.—Westminster Gazette.

A Serious Case

An Irishman employed in a large factory had taken a day off without permission and seemed likely to lose his job in consequence. When asked by his foreman the next day why he had not turned up the day before, he replied:

"I was so ill, sir, that I could not come to work to save me life."
"How was it then, Pat, that I saw you last night, going out of the door during the morning?" asked the foreman.

"I was slightly taken aback, then, recovering his presence of mind, he replied:

"I was so ill, sir, that I must have been when I was going for the doctor!"—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

The London Times Red Cross fund amounts to \$35,609,470.

Dairy Conditions

Milk and Butter Supplies Decreasing While Population Is Increasing

The United States food administration has issued the following statement on dairy conditions: Milk and butter supplies are decreasing in the United States, while our population is increasing. The dairy herds of Europe are diminishing rapidly because of the conditions created by war, and there is no probability of improvement in these conditions. The dairy problem in this country, therefore, is not only a war emergency problem, but one that will continue after the war.

The world's dairy supplies are decreasing rapidly for two important reasons. First, the dairy cattle of Europe are diminishing, for Europe is being driven to rear its cattle for meat; second, the diversion of labor to war has decreased the fodder supplies, and the shortage of shipping has limited the amount of imported fodder, and therefore the cattle which can be supported and the productivity of the individual cow have been reduced. Even our own dairy supplies are not keeping pace with our growth of population, for our per capita milk supply has fallen from 90 to 75 gallons annually in the past fifteen years. Yet, today we must supply increasing amounts of dairy products to our allies.

The dairy supplies of the allies in normal times came to a considerable degree from western Scandinavia, Holland and Switzerland, but under German pressure these supplies are now partly diverted to Germany. The men under arms and the wounded must be supplied with condensed milk in large quantities. The result of these conditions, despite rigorous reduction of consumption among the adults of the civil population in Europe, is that our allies are still short of large quantities and again the burden of the replacement of this shortage must fall on North America.

The high price of fodder and meat in the United States during the past few months, induced by the pressing

European demand, has set up dangerous currents in this country, especially in those regions dependent upon butter and the sale of milk to municipalities, having made it most profitable to sell the cattle for meat than to keep them and produce dairy products. Therefore, the dairy cattle are decreasing in those sections. The only sections in which dairy products have had a rise in price in proportion to the increase in the cost of feed are those producing condensed milk and cheese.

Our home milk and butter supplies are therefore decreasing while our population is increasing. This deficiency of dairy butter is shown by the sales of margarine, which show an increase of several million pounds per month over similar periods in 1915. Dairy butter, however, has qualities which render it vitally necessary for table use. Milk has no substitutes, and should be not only intrinsically one of our cheapest and most abundant foods, but is absolutely fundamental to the rearing of the children.

The dairy situation resolves itself into several phases: First, it is to be hoped that the abundant harvest will result in lower prices of food and diminish the impetus to sell the cattle for meat. Second, the industry needs encouragement, so as to increase the dairy herd and thus our dairy supplies, for the sake first of our own people and second of the allies. The people must realize the vital dependence of the well-being of their children, and thus of the nation upon the encouragement and upbuilding of the industry. Third, we must save the wastes in milk and butter if we are to provide milk supplies to all, especially including the children of the crowded districts of our cities.

Didn't Lose It

Brown—You look as if you had the blues.

Robinson—So I have. I've lost my beautiful new silk umbrella.

Brown—Where did you leave it?

Robinson—I didn't leave it anywhere. The owner met me and took it away from me.

Pure Breds Lifted Mortgage

Ambition and Determination Play a Large Part in Farming

Burdened with a mortgage that would hard to meet, would it pay to invest in pure-bred Shortorns?

During a public sale of pure-bred Shortorns, some years ago, Col. F. W. Woods paused, says the Breeders' Gazette, and looking over the audience, said:

"Isn't there some man here who has a mortgage on his farm? If so, I urge him to buy a few of these cattle, put them to work and forget about the mortgage. He can use as much of the returns from the cattle as he needs to meet the interest and when the mortgage comes due, four or five years hence, he can call a sale and sell enough of these cattle to pay the mortgage."

A young man on the seats called to the colored, "I'll just go you one," and began buying Shortorns. When his mortgage came due, he made a sale at Omaha, and the returns were more than enough to pay off the mortgage and he had cattle left. Then he bought more land and assumed another mortgage and the cattle paid it. Then he repeated his short-horn activities during the past twenty years would buy several banks with money to spare, says the "Gazette."

The very fact that the young man had spirit enough to take Col. Woods at his word indicated a striking quality, and one which no doubt had much to do with his success. We scarcely imagine that a just farmer could duplicate the affair any more than "just any" merchant could become a successful merchant.

There are two great essentials: A vision, and nerve to put it across. Ambition and determination play a large part in farming as in any other walk of life.

Brazil has, for the period of the war, abolished all private wireless stations and plants.

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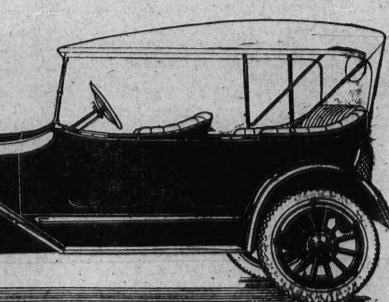


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The Swedish ministry has resigned.

Rev. Father Hughes, of Nanton, is spending a few days with Father Coenag at Bellevue.

Just because we failed to keep strict tab on vital statistics, Bill Chappell is wearing a smile.

The United States has shut off coal shipments to Canada, owing to reported shortage across the line.

The I.O.O.F. hall on Friday night next will start sharp at 9 o'clock. A record crowd is already assured.

The Golden West hotel at Irvine, a large brick structure, was totally destroyed by fire on Monday morning.

Turnips at the rate of a car a day are being shipped from Fredrickson, N. B., to the United States.

P. M. Christophers, the newly-elected vice-president of District 18, U.M.W.-A., returned from Calgary yesterday.

William Turner arrived from Victoria this week on a visit to his parents. "Bill" has joined a Canadian aviation corps.

Mrs. Kidd has received word that her son Joseph had landed safely at Quebec and will likely be home in the course of a few days.

The little hamlet of Tusket has sent to the war 100 per cent. of its man power. No other spot in Canada has so proud a record.

The capital stock of The Noble Foundation, Limited, has been increased from \$200,000 to \$750,000 by the creation of 5,500 new shares of par value \$1.00 each.

Calgary council has decided to allow the widow of Policeman Duncan his full salary for the balance of 1917 and \$70 per month for the following three years. Policeman Duncan was murdered while on patrol in Calgary several months ago.

To save the city of Montreal from bankruptcy and to secure proper civic government, Sir Louis Gouin, premier of the province of Quebec, will be urged by the Montreal board of trade and other local organizations to enact legislation abolishing the board of control and the city council, and appointing in their places a commission of five members to govern the city for five years.

Importance Of Canada's Effort

War Part Nation is Taking at Last is Being Realized by All.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—Figures up to August 31, 1917, show that 431,455 Canadians had enlisted in the Canadian Expeditionary Force. Canada is represented on many fields. From inland transport workers, of whom one thousand are Canadians and who, amongst other things, help to take supply barges up the rivers of the Far East, to aviators flying over the battle fronts, the North Sea and the Mediterranean, on whose upwards of 1,550 are Canadians, this country has contributed an important part of the Allied war effort.

As to the work woman is doing, it is interesting to note that 1,801 Canadian nurses have gone overseas in the Canadian Army Medical Corps service and 314 in Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service. This, of course, is apart from the enormous accomplishments of women's patriotic and social service societies all over the country.

Canada's strength as a belligerent nation is shown rather strikingly in the realm of finance. Whereas Great Britain has loaned millions to a number of Allied nations, she has received from Canada \$100,000,000 more than she has been asked to give.

Canadians returning from abroad report a widespread recognition in other countries of Canada's importance and value to the Allies as the final stages of the war seem to approach.

Report of last night's annual meeting of the Red Cross local branch is crowded out of this issue and will appear next week.

Hon. Charles Stewart and Mr. Ainsworth, minister and inspector of public works, respectively, will arrive in Blairmore by Monday morning's train.

The railways commission will sit in Calgary on the 15th October.

George Young, of Cowley, has been appointed an issuer of marriage licenses.

A GOOD FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE FOR SALE.—Cheap for cash, or will give good terms. Apply Box "E," Blairmore Enterprise.

In a flight from Turin to Rome, Sergt. Stoppain, of the Royal Italian Flying Corps, maintained an average speed of 140 miles an hour.

Miss Adele Pankhurst, daughter of Mrs. Emeline Pankhurst, the English suffragette leader, was married recently to an Australian seaman.

The school teachers' convention of the Lethbridge and Macleod inspectors will be held at Lethbridge on Thursday and Friday, November 8 and 9.

When the children returned to their schools in Chicago after vacation they found the "Kaiser page" torn from their spelling books and no more classes will be instructed in German.

Several Canadian corporations which have been engaged in the manufacture of munitions, have received offers for the purchase of their plants by manufacturers in the United States.

When the Kaiser lately passed through Brussels, in place of flags, as had been ordered, the Belgians remained indoors and drew down their blinds on which they inscribed "closed for national mourning."

The Pentiction hotel has been destroyed by fire.

General Haig states that he can take Lens at any moment.

Four hundred bottles of bad liquor were poured into the Saskatchewan river near Edmonton last week by the provincial authorities. Since then people between Edmonton and Lake Winnipeg have been trying to live solely on water.

The new C.P.R. schedule came into effect on September the 30th. Under the new time the morning train will arrive about a half hour earlier and the evening train at 10:19. Many local parties, who were not aware of the proposed change, missed the train on Sunday morning last and thus were saved from a glorious drunk that might have been obtained in B.C.

Damage actions aggregating \$27,500 against the Canadian Northern railway were filed in the office of the clerk of the supreme court of Alberta on September the 27th by J. A. McCaffry, solicitor for Morris Albert Archer, Catherine Archer and Morris Archer, junior. The actions arise out of the wreck of the Moonlight special train bound for Alberta Beach via Canadian Northern railroad on the evening of July 28, when five lives were lost and forty-two persons injured. Morris Albert Archer, now overseas, sues for \$7,500 for loss of his wife's services through injuries received in the wreck; and the death of his little daughter, Mr. Archer asks \$10,000 general damages for injuries received, while a young son is suing for \$10,000, claiming he was crippled through injuries received.

Monday next will be observed throughout the Dominion as Thanksgiving Day and on Sunday special Thanksgiving services will be held in all churches.

The 78th battery, which was organized in Lethbridge and which has been training at Petawawa Camp, will return to Lethbridge for winter training. A draft from the battery was sent overseas some time ago.

Further credit of \$50,000,000 was extended to Great Britain by the United States government on October the 1st, bringing the total advance to Great Britain thus far up to \$1,240,000,000 and the total advanced to all the allies up to \$2,516,400,000.

Through the carelessness of some parties in allowing dynamite caps to become strewn around near where a grave had been dug in the Blairmore cemetery last week, Wilfrid, the little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tibbadeau, came near losing his life. Several small children, it seems, had visited the cemetery, and coming across the caps gathered up all they could find of them, shoving them between them. Wilfrid on Saturday evening hit one of the caps with a hammer, with the result that his face and part of his body was severely lacerated. The doctor was immediately summoned, and from the manner in which the little one was covered in blood it looked as though little hope for his recovery could be maintained. His condition, however, has very much improved and danger has now passed. The little chap will be very much disfigured as a result of the accident.

Robert Smallwood has purchased H. Lambirth's Ford.

Mrs. James Heuston has been visiting friends in Elko.

Miss Jewel McDonald is attending college at Edmonton for the present term.

Germany is said to have offered to evacuate Belgium if allowed to develop trade there.

Peter Montalbet left for Calgary on Sunday night, where he has enlisted with the A.M.C. He returned to town again on Tuesday.

Some people will be disappointed if they get to heaven and not find anything to find fault with.

A big transport with over 2,000 soldiers, women and children, arrived at an Atlantic port last week end.

The city of Edmonton will soon be due to pay its bills, having disposed of some \$750,000 worth of treasury notes.

It is reported that Dr. Michael Clark may be offered a nomination as a win-the-war candidate in Macleod riding.

Twenty-seven were killed and over fifty injured in a head-on train collision near Kellyville, Okla., on Friday last.

The officers of a Russian destroyer, which struck a mine recently in the Baltic Sea, refused to leave and went down with their ship.

Work on the foundation for the West Canadian Collieries' new steel tippie at Greenhill is progressing rapidly under Contractor Pozzi.

Norman Shaw, a returned veteran and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Shaw, of Blairmore, has successfully passed civil service examination at Calgary.

A western company has purchased the Dominion park, Regina's athletic grounds, for our million dollars, and will erect a huge distributing warehouse on the property.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lank left for their ranch at North Fork on Monday. Mr. Lank has just recently relinquished his interest in the Crystal Dairy business in Blairmore, having sold out to Mr. Comfort of the North Fork for a consideration involving considerable farm land.

Whether or not Canadians will continue eating ice cream in season and out of season, may depend upon the investigation being made by Food Controller Hanna into the charges that the extensive use of cream in the manufacture of ice cream is responsible for the ever-soaring price of butter.

Victor Dorigo, famous accordion soloist, entertained a large audience at the Blairmore opera house on Monday night. After the regular programme quite a number remained behind and danced to excellent music furnished by Prof. Dorigo on the accordion, and Prof. Phistur on the clarinet.

Speaking of prohibition, Fred Roo, of Elko, tells the following consoling parody of his chest:

"If somebody gives you a pat on the back,

Pass it on!

Let somebody else have a taste of the smack,

Pass it on!

If it heightens your courage or lightens your pack,

If it kisses your soul, with a song in the smack,

Maybe somebody else has been dressing in black,

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Report of the Frank public school for September will appear in our next issue.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST

LAND REGULATIONS

The sole land of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, may be claimed as a homestead of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency) on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 40 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

Livestock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$10.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after ceasing homestead patent; also 40 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent is on certain conditions.

A settler who has exchanged his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price, \$2 per acre.

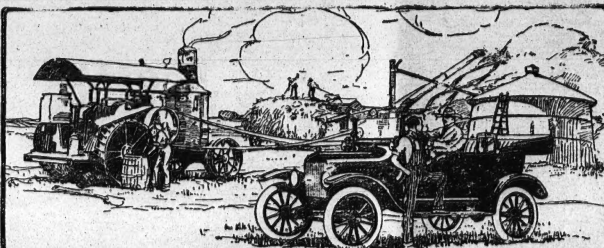
Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 40 acres and erect a house worth \$200.

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Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, N.B. Incorporated Subordinate of Public Administration will not be paid for same.

Herbert Burton, Lester J. Cameron, Harry Hand, George Handson, Arthur Holmes, Alexander Moorhead, Fred B. Traise, Adna Tuttle, Percy Unsworth and Walter F. Veilacott, returned veterans and inmates of the Frank Military Hospital, were successful candidates at a special preliminary examination for the outside division at examinations held on Sept. 4th for civil service.

All men discharged from the Canadian expeditionary force in Canada, who have not been overseas, will be required to report under the terms of the military service act.



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Report of last night's annual meeting of the Red Cross local branch is crowded out of this issue and will appear next week.

Hon. Charles Stewart and Mr. Ainsworth, minister and inspector of public works, respectively, will arrive in Blairmore by Monday morning's train.